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The true reason is probably that he wants to retire from all public activity, except conducting his own compositions. The following paragraph from Mr. Krebber, in the New York Tribune, is apropos:

"The most interesting bit of musical intelligence which came from Europe last week was that concerning Rubinstein's resignation of the directorship of the St. Petersburg Conservatory. The news caused an astonishment among the great musician's friends or the close students of musical affairs abroad. It has been known for some time that he was dissatisfied, and his contemplated resignation was even while he was in his native country was doing him honor on his jubilee in November, 1889. It is the second time that he has resigned from the directorship of that office. He was the leading spirit in the foundation of the Conservatory in 1862 and was its first director. From the latter he quarreled with some of his associates in the faculty and resigned. In his autobiography, dictated to a stenographer on the occasion of the jubilee, he mentions the circumstances of his resignation. The disagreement was partly caused by his own hasty temper, but vented on further explanation.

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SHARONIA'S "Vasari of Saigeh," produced at the New York Metropolitan Opera House on the 12th last, met with greater success than the preceding novelty. Franchetti's "Asrael," it has, according to the critics, a book full of horrors and a score full of opulent orchestration, some genuine beauty, and remarkably faithful Hungarian coloring. Director Stanton is now negotiating for yet another specimen of Italian opera with strong German or Wagnerian tendencies, namely: Mascagni's one-act opera, "Cavalleria Rusticana," which has created an extraordinary furore in Italy, and is rapidly winning its way over the continent, even as far as St. Petersburg.

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DIED. BAGALEY—On Friday, December 19, 1930, MARY ARTHUR, wife of Ralph Bagaley, and daughter of Robert A. Bagaley, at 2:30 P. M. Funeral services at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Grant street, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

BOEHME—On Thursday, December 18, 1930, at 7:50 o'clock P. M., Mrs. PAUL BOEHME, aged 95 years, 6 months 7 days. Funeral services at her late residence, No. 237 Thirty-eighth street, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

BRADY—On Saturday, December 20, 1930, at 11:45 A. M., Mrs. SARAH P. BRADY, mother of Rev. Father Francis Brady, aged 65 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

BURK—Suddenly, at his late residence, 2018 Penn avenue, MICHAEL BURK, in his 57th year. Funeral MONDAY MORNING at 10 A. M. CARGO—On Thursday morning, December 18, 1930, at 1:30 o'clock, Mrs. SARAH CARGO, of West Chester township, in the 31st year of her age. Interment SUNDAY at 2:30 P. M. from Braddock Church.

DAGG—On Saturday, December 20, 1930, at West Penn Hospital, JOHN N. DAGG. Funeral services and interment at Washington, Pa., Monday.

FLAHERTY—On Saturday, December 19, 1930, at 5 A. M., MARGARET, widow of the late Martin Flaherty, aged 86 years.

FULTON—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 1 A. M., Mrs. CHARLES FULTON, aged 59 years, 5 months. Funeral from her late residence, No. 1 Sibley's Alley, Allegheny, on SUNDAY, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HEISEL—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 8:15 P. M., at the residence of his son-in-law, A. ERY, No. 1410 1/2 Pennsylvania street, JACOB HEISEL, 58, aged 81 years. Funeral on MONDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, to St. Peter's R. C. Church, with mass. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HOPMANN—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 1:30 P. M., Mrs. M. H. HOPMANN, wife of Henry Hopmann, in her 48th year. Funeral on SUNDAY, December 21, 1930, at 1:30 P. M., from late residence, 9 Baldwin street, Allegheny. Services will be held at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran St. Peter's Church at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

JAMISON—Suddenly on Friday morning, December 19, 1930, at his residence, Linden avenue, Allegheny City, PA., JOHN JAMISON, in his 60th year. Funeral will take place from the residence of his son-in-law, No. 38 Pearl street, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KRALY—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 1:55 A. M., STELLA KRALY, stenographer of Jacob Kocher, aged 4 years and 3 months. Funeral from her residence, 415 East street, Allegheny, on SUNDAY, December 21, at 1 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KING—On Saturday, December 20, 1930, at 1:30 A. M., REBECCA A., wife of Henry King, aged 57 years. Funeral from residence of her father, Thomas Sharp, Salem, O., on TUESDAY, December 22.

KNOX—At El Paso, Tex., December 15, WALTER S. KNOX. Funeral on Monday, December 22, at 2 P. M., from 110 Arch street, Allegheny.

MEZ—On Saturday, December 20, at 2 A. M., ETHEL PEARL, daughter of Adam and Emma Metz, aged 11 months and 20 days. Funeral SUNDAY at 2 P. M. from parent's residence, Forty-sixth and Plumer streets, city. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MUNN—On Thursday, December 18, 1930, at 7:30, suddenly, at his residence, Snider township, J. HOWARD MUNN, in his 70th year. Funeral from his late residence, on SUNDAY, December 21, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family and members of Hand-in-Hand Council No. 39, Jr. O. U. A. M., are respectfully invited to attend.

MURRAY—On Saturday, December 20, 1930, at 2:20 P. M., ANN MURRAY. Funeral from her late residence, No. 34 Chatham street, on TUESDAY MORNING at 8:30 A. M. Services at St. Paul's Cathedral at 9 A. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MCGILLIN—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 1:35 A. M., JOSEPH F. MCGILLIN, in the 21st year of his age, third son of Thomas and Margaret McGilligan, in his 21st year. Funeral from the residence of his parents on SUNDAY, 21st, at 2 P. M. Interment private.

NEALSON—On Friday morning, December 19, 1930, at 10:05 o'clock, MARGARET NEALSON, aged 96 years. Funeral services at the residence of J. K. Harbour, near Page street, Allegheny City, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 1:30 o'clock. Interment private.

PARKER—On Friday, December 19, 1930, at 8:24 A. M., HUGH PARKER, in his 71st year, at his residence, Bedford avenue and Morgan street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Funeral from the Smithfield Street M. E. Church, on SUNDAY, December 21, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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